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W. I. Meets June 4th

The next meeting of the W. I. on June 4th, will take the form of "Grandmother's Day." What is so rare as a day in June?

The woman who never grows old.

Roll Call—Pioneer stories of Mirror and Beginning of Library Club and W. I. by Mesdames W. C. McCormack and A. J. Ray.

Our Delegate's Report—Mrs. M. H. Olson.

First Fortnightly Crop Report

The opening of the 1927 crop season in Alberta, although the spring work in common with that all over the prairies has been retarded by intermittent falls of snow and rain, finds rapid progress being made with the seeding and the soil in a better than average condition for the production of a crop. A heavy snowfall during the winter months which melted with very little run off has provided an ample supply of moisture to carry the crop well into the growing season. Work on low-lying lands has been delayed in some instances by the presence of water but this condition has been somewhat improved under the influence of sun and wind during the past two weeks.

Livestock in many cases has come through the long winter in rather thin condition but pastures generally are making rapid headway in growth.

Notice to Creditors and Claimants

In the Estate of Alfred Tomkinson, late of the Village of Mirror, in the Province of Alberta, Farmer, deceased.

NOTICE is hereby given that all persons having claims upon the estate of the above named Alfred Tomkinson who died on the 9th day of March 1925, are required to file with Edward Barford Martin, of Mirror, Alberta, Farmer, by July 15th, 1927, a full statement duly verified of their claims and of any securities held by them, and that after that date the administrator will distribute the assets of the deceased among the parties entitled thereto, having regard only to the claims of which notice has been so filed or which have been brought to their knowledge.

James G. Russell, Mirror, Alta.
Solicitor for Administrator.
Dated this 1st day of June 1927.

CANADIAN NATIONAL EUROPEAN TOURS

A maximum of travel through particularly interesting countries at a minimum of expense is provided in the Canadian National Educational Tours this summer through Scotland, England, Belgium, France, Switzerland and

Additional Locals

Mr. and Mrs. T. McFadden left last week for an extended trip in Minnesota.

Considerable improvement is going on at the station. The freight platform has been considerably lengthened and a new platform put in at the station, while some bunk houses and work shops have been erected to house the B. & B. foreman and the pump man.

Some of the wheat in the district is up four and five inches and the farmers feel quite optimistic over the crop prospects.

We are informed that the agitation for continuous service on the telephone has borne fruit and that in the near future we may have continuous service.

Considerable improvement has been made in the appearance of the cemetery by the planting of caragana along the west side and a 23-foot circle in the centre. This will be augmented by bulbs in the fall so that when next spring arrives it will be a credit to the town and district. The W. I. has charge of the improvements and we hope that it will be backed up by those interested and make it one of the beauty spots in the Buffalo Lake district.

Madame Coyne will be in Mirror on the 15th and 16th of June with the latest dresses, golf suits, and hosiery. Shopping at Imperial Hotel.

Buck Jones rides the winds of adventure in a gale of laughter and a storm of thrills at Grand Theatre Saturday evening.

Italy.

Two tours have been arranged and sailing will be made from Montreal July 8, on the 'Andania' direct to Glasgow. Very careful attention has been given to itineraries involved.

Tour No. 1 is a 27 day trip on sea and land, visiting important cities in Scotland, England, Belgium, France and Switzerland. All expenses, \$372.50, Montreal to Great Britain and the Continent and return to Montreal.

Tour No. 2 is a 51-day trip on sea and land, visiting in Scotland, England, France, Belgium, Switzerland and Italy. All expenses, \$501.00, Montreal to Great Britain and the Continent and return to Montreal.

There will be low excursion fares to the seaboard from points in the Prairie Provinces.

These tours will be personally conducted from Western Canada and while overseas will be under the direct care and supervision of thoroughly responsible and reliable organization, fully qualified in every particular to successfully look after the interests of our patrons.

The sight-seeing program is very complete and generous. Motor coaches and automobiles are freely used. All sight-seeing is well planned to save unnecessary fatigue and to see the worth-while places within the time at our disposal. Competent lecturers will reveal to our patrons the outstanding features, literary, historic, artistic or scenic of the Old World centres visited.

J. T. Kerr, local agent for the Canadian National Railways, will be glad to discuss these tours and arrange all details.



**What the Red Cross is doing
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Refrinds 3,500 soldiers still in hospital . . . relieves sickness and need in their families . . . cares for the soldier's widow . . . provides sheltered employment for the disabled in three Veterans' Workshops.

For the Children

Through Junior Red Cross, has aided 5,000 crippled children and has pledged over 137,000 school children to practice health habits and to serve others.

For the Pioneer

Brings nursing service to those in frontier districts through 39 Outpost Hospitals and Nursing Stations.

For the New Canadian

Welcomes and gives needed attention to immigrant mothers and children at three Seaport Nurseries.

For the Mothers and Daughters

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Western Canada Points the Way

One of the most notable gatherings of the year, and one in which all the people of Western Canada were particularly and directly interested was the international cooperative wheat pool conference held at Kansas City, and at which representatives were present from the United States, Australia, Germany, Russia, as well as from the three great wheat producing provinces of Canada.

Western Canada was easily the outstanding and dominant factor at the conference. And rightly so because in three short years the farmers of the Prairie Provinces have organized and developed the greatest grain handling corporation in the known world. Their success has been phenomenal, eclipsing anything of a like character ever attempted in connection with any commodity. They can speak from actual experience in definite achievement.

It is not surprising, therefore, that at the Kansas City conference the reports presented on behalf of the Alberta, Saskatchewan and Manitoba Pools, and their common central selling agency, were received with great enthusiasm, and that the views, expressions and suggestions advanced by the Canadians commanded respect and gave strength to the deliberations of the conference.

Many of our own people have not yet grasped the full magnitude of the operations of the wheat pool, nor realize just how much has been accomplished in the brief period of approximately 1,600 days. Three years ago there was no Canadian Pool. Today, to quote A. J. McNeil, president of the Saskatchewan pool and of the Central Selling pool, there is a membership of 125,000 in the three provinces. In 1921-22 the Canadian pool handled 137,000,000 bushels of wheat belonging to 35 farmer members and 27,000,000 bushels of coarse grain. The pool has representatives in all wheat importing countries and ships direct to sixty European ports. It owns and controls approximately 650 country elevators in the three provinces with a combined storage capacity of approximately 22,000,000 bushels. At the head of the lake the pool has six terminal elevators with a storage capacity around 15,000,000 bushels and also a 2,000,000 transfer house at Buffalo. The pool is also operating terminal elevators at Prince Rupert and Vancouver, while plans are under way for large extensions to the country elevator systems in all the provinces. Since the pool began to operate it has paid its farmer members around half a billion dollars.

These are truly remarkable achievements, but they do not tell the whole story. The pool has practically revolutionized the financing methods of our Western farmers. Instead of the farmer getting all his money in one bulk sum every Fall, at which time every creditor made immediate demand upon him, with the result that he was practically forced to sell his wheat at the then prevailing price, and by all following the same course glutting the market, he now receives as a first payment and several successive payments spread over the year. The result is not only orderly marketing of the wheat but orderly financing on the part of the farmer. He is to an ever increasing extent conducting his business on cash rather than a credit basis. The system has been of wonderful assistance to the weaker, less business like farmers.

Equally important has been the effect the pool has had in restoring confidence to the farmer and to business, generally throughout the west. It has given the farmers a feeling of independence and security hitherto lacking. It has emphasized the value of co-operation, and the strength that is to be found in organized co-operative effort as contrasted with each man striving to work out his own problems and his own economic salvation.

The farmers of Western Canada have demonstrated the wisdom of having one great selling agency instead of one or two hundred thousand farmers each selling individually and in competition with each other. The object of the Kansas City conference was to try to devise ways and means whereby the great wheat producing countries of the world could cooperate instead of competing against each other. The most cordial reception was accorded the files, and efforts will be made to develop a workable plan.

Re-open Milk Plant

One of the largest manufacturers of milk products has recently re-opened their condensing plant at South Stumps, B.C. The whole milk supply will be obtained from the Prince Valley, which will amount to about 60,000 lbs. per day. About 25 men and women will be employed in the plant, and the payroll will amount to about \$2,500 per month.

Orders for Farm Implements

During the past few weeks large orders for farm implements and blower tractors have been placed with Canadian manufacturers by representatives of the Russian Soviet Government. These orders are double those given all last year, and seven tractors will be required to transport the goods, now on order to the seaboard.

New Depot for Edmonton

The Canadian National Railways will build a new depot at Edmonton, Alberta, this year. The estimated cost is \$1,000,000. Tenders for the erection of the building have been received and the contract will be awarded as soon as they have been considered.

World's Shortest Railroad

The shortest railroad in the world now belongs to the city of Union, Ore., having been bought for delinquent taxes at a sheriff's sale. The line is ten miles long and the rolling stock includes one locomotive, one passenger and three freight cars. It sold for \$1,100.

Huge Dairy Farm

Largest Herd of Dairy Cattle in North America to be Established Near Winnipeg

There is now a herd of one thousand head of Holstein dairy cattle on the Manitoba dairy farms at Marchand, on the Canadian National Railways southeast of Winnipeg. It is the intention of the company, which is colonizing a 50,000 acre tract of land with dairy farmers, which will make it the largest herd of dairy animals under one ownership in North America.

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For Improved Highways

Huge Sums Spent Last Year for This Purpose

During the year 1926 a total of \$15,562,000 was spent on construction and maintenance of all provincial highways in Canada, according to computation made by A. W. Campbell, Dominion Highway Commissioner. Of this total \$3,558,000 was spent on construction and \$12,004,000 on maintenance of highways already constructed. The total mileage of roads involved in this aggregate expenditure was 46,821.

THIS GREAT TONIC RENEWS STRENGTH

Simply Because it Enriches and Builds Up the Blood

In no trouble is delay or neglect more dangerous than in anemia, which means poverty of the blood. It is very common in young girls and in women who are overworked or confined without exercise. It makes its approach in so stealthy a manner that it is often well developed before its presence is recognized. But taken in time there is a tonic that so enriches and purifies the blood that good health and strength soon return to the former weak anemic sufferer. This tonic is Dr. Williams' Pink Pills, which for years have been the most successful blood builder known, and have credit for restoring to good health thousands and thousands of people who have suffered from some of the many ailments that cause the high weak, watery blood.

The correction of anemic conditions by Dr. Williams' Pink Pills is as certain as anything can be. As proof of this Miss Margaret Smith, Bargeon, Ont., says: "After having a severe attack of jaundice I was left in a very weak and run-down condition. I was pale and my nerves on edge. I could not sleep at night and would rise and then lie down at a time. I finally decided to try Dr. Williams' Pink Pills, and soon began to feel better, and after taking a few more boxes of the pills I felt as strong as ever, and could thoroughly enjoy my rest at night. Now I always recommend them to my friends who may be ill."

Better sleep, steady nerves, improved appetite, increased vigor—all these can be yours by taking Dr. Williams' Pink Pills. Begin today. Sold by all medicine dealers, or by mail post paid at 26 cents a box from The Dr. Williams' Medicine Co., Brockville, Ont.

Australian's New Fruit

Australia is producing a new fruit called the cucumber apple for use in salads. Although it has the appearance of an apple, the flavor is said to be distinctly that of a cucumber.

For all pain—Mildard's Lintiment.

Whale Destroys Cable

A whale which interrupted traffic on the Alaska cable early in April chewed up so much of the cable that an in-out replacement was necessary to restore communication.

An Indiana town has abandoned its fire department composed entirely of women. They insist on silk hose.

If you have an aim in life you can't afford to waste any time in hating people.

Mildard's Lintiment for dandruff.

W. N. U. 1681

For Friendly Relations

Sir Esme Howard, British Ambassador to U.S., Addresses San Francisco Audience

A plea for confirmation of friendly relations between the United States and England, which have existed for more than 100 years, was made by Sir Esme Howard, British Ambassador to the U.S., at a banquet tendered him by the San Francisco Chamber of Commerce.

Referring to the question of the British war debt to the United States, Sir Esme said:

"We have not run away from the debt and do not intend to but if at some future date you come to us and say you think it would be advisable in the general interest to reconsider the question—well, I won't say that we shall refuse."

"There is the attack that has been made in certain quarters against the British Government over the question of emigrants," he continued. "It was agreed at the Washington conference that unless submarines of all powers were abolished, Great Britain would reserve her full freedom of action in the future."

"You have already passed us in destroyers and submarines and no one in England had thought of accusing you of violating the letter or the spirit of the 1913 ratio clause of the Washington Treaty."

"Sir Esme declared Great Britain had actually been accused of a ship order to hold the 'poor Chin' in perpetual bondage, thus driving a wedge between England and the United States."

"He declared, 'as far as I can see, has been to obtain the right of trading freely with China.'"

Asthma Doesn't Wear Off Alone. Do not make the mistake of waiting for asthma to wear away by itself. While you are waiting the disease is surely entering a stronger foothold and you live in danger of stronger and yet stronger attacks. Dr. J. H. Kellogg's Asthma Remedy taken early will prevent further attacks from becoming chronic and saves hours of actual suffering.

Peking or Pekin

Former Spelling is Closer to Chinese Version Than Latter

A new war has been declared here—but this time it is only an orthographic war, directed against the French spelling "Peking" when referring to the Chinese capital in America or in English publications.

Those interested in the matter point out to foreign correspondents that "Peking" is no more representative of the regular pronunciation either in China or abroad, save in France. Chinese here say "Bay-ching," the two syllables meaning "north" and "capital" respectively, while the spelling "Peking" is—though an satisfactory—closer to the Chinese version than is any form in which "P" is omitted. There are several other foreign varieties, but the French is the only one which occurs generally in connection with the favored "Peking" form.

Clever Blind Student

Completes Four Year Arts Course in Three Years

Gregory Sullivan, blind since birth, has become such a good listener that he soon will have completed a four-year course at the University of Georgia in three years.

His election to Phi Beta Kappa national honorary fraternity, is the latest honor that he has attained. He also won the French medal offered the student making the highest average in that language.

Sullivan, who is 22 years old, has a general average above 90 and will be graduated in June with a bachelor of arts degree.

Throughout his college career, he has relied mainly on friends to read his text books to him.

Marketing of Manitoba Cattle

Last year 192,125 head of cattle and 292,329 hogs were marketed through the Winnipeg Public Stock Yards and realized \$22,047,000. Though the number of animals marketed was less than the 1925 record, the monetary return was \$1,900,000 greater, owing to the better prices that prevailed. Ontario feeders took 15,590 and 41,600 went to United States feed lots and 17,365 went to Manitoba farms. Sheep and lambs to the number of 55,520 were marketed, compared with 25,690 in 1925.

There is no poisonous ingredient in Holloway's Corn Remover, and it can be used without danger or injury.

Memonites Purchase Land

Memonites have bought 2,500 acres of land in the Vulcan district, paying \$125,000 to the vendors, Messrs. M. & R. Lyman. The Memonites have acquired 12 sections this spring in Southern Alberta.



Why Bald So Young? Cuticura will help You

To prevent loss of hair. Dandruff, usually the cause of premature baldness, may be easily removed by regular shampoos with Cuticura Soap, preceded by touches of Cuticura Ointment. This treatment keeps the scalp clean and healthy and promotes hair growth.

Sample sent free by mail. Address: Cuticura Shaving Stick 25c.

Made Clocks Reliable

Correct Time Not Recorded Until Discovery of Balance Wheel

Before the invention and manufacture of watches and clocks, our forefathers employed several devices for recording the hour of the day. The sundial is the earliest instrument of its kind, and sundials were used from an early date.

Alfred the Great used graduated candles, the burning of which marked the passage of time.

The art of clock and watchmaking is believed to have originated in Germany.

The early watches were made in curious shapes, such as pears, skulls, purses and crosses. Some were set in the hands of cages, some in bracelets and other pieces of jewelry. These instruments had to be wound at least twice daily, and differed from the correct time by about an hour a day.

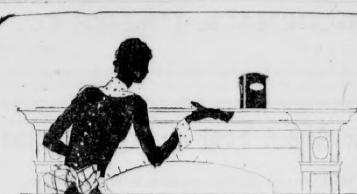
It was not until the discovery of the balance-wheel in 1658, by which the swinging movement itself evened up and regularly, that they could be relied upon to record the correct time.

Send Letter by Plane

Greetings to be Sent to Governor General: Willington From Pacific Coast to Ottawa

Plans for delivery by aeroplane of a letter from Lieut. Governor Bruce of British Columbia to Governor-General Willington in connection with the jubilee celebration this year are being prepared.

The message, according to information obtained at the Pacific Airways Company office at Vancouver, will be carried from Victoria to Kamloops on June 1, taken across the Rocky Mountains either to Calgary or Edmonton by a "machine" from the Royal Canadian Air Force station at High River, Alta., and relayed to Ottawa by the first Canadian air mail liners to operate in Western Canada.



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Notable Rise Of Western Men

Illustration of the Possibility for Advancement in This Land of Opportunity

Premier Bracken of Manitoba, gives a hint of a coming election by reorganizing his cabinet. The principal change is the entrance of Mr. R. A. Hoey as Minister of Education. Mr. Hoey will be remembered for his own narrative of his Spartan early life, and the present sequel in his attainment of Cabinet rank, is another illustration of possibilities in Canada.

Mr. Hoey was once a poor immigrant lad, who came to Canada from Ireland in 1909 at the age of 26, and first took a job in a Montreal tannery, mending and stretching hides, for \$7 a week. After two months he had saved enough to take him to Fort Frances, where he got work at \$100 a year, and saved enough to take a five-year course at Wesley College, Winnipeg, where he graduated in 1915. Then he went farming, became a pioneer in the Farmers' movement, and by 1923 was in Parliament at Ottawa, where he is proving to be his own master.

"We sometimes hear of men living on one meal a day. This particular immigrant lived for four days on one meal. I remember on one occasion he lived for five days on one meal, and in the last six weeks of the year in which he graduated he lived for ten cents a day."

"He was denied the privilege of writing home to his parents because he did not have the money for postage. He graduated, and is today a member of the Dominion Parliament. He is still in his thirties, and by 20 means a physical wreck."

The Liberal party will face the elections with a new leader, Mr. Hugh A. Robson, K.C., recently chosen to succeed Hon. E. C. Norris, who had been in the Legislature since 1906, and was Premier for seven years after the collapse of the Roblin Government. Mr. Robson gave place in 1922 to the rising Farmers' party, under Mr. John Bracken, who is still in office.

Mr. Robson is a disbarred Winnipeg lawyer, and was for some years on the Bench in Saskatchewan. He was born in England in 1871, and was taken as a boy of eleven to the Regina district. He began work as an office boy in a law office, and then as a clerk in a bank. He is now in the story of this land of opportunity. —Toronto Globe.

Legume Inoculation

Is Necessary as a Means of Enriching the Soil

Without the proper bacteria present in the soil alfalfa and other legumes are dependent solely on the soil's nitrogen, but when the bacteria are present the crop is able to absorb nitrogen from the air. Inoculation is therefore important, not only as a means of getting a "catch" of alfalfa or other crop, but as a means of enriching the soil. Inoculation should always be made when there is any reason to suspect a scarcity in the soil of the bacteria associated with the particular legume being sown. According to a new pamphlet of the Dominion Experimental Farm, on Legume Inoculation, there is reason to suspect such a scarcity of bacteria when neither the crop in question nor other crops which are benefited by the same strain of bacteria have been previously cultivated on the ground to be used. Again if the previous crops of the legume to be sown have been unsuccessful, inoculation is advisable. Even when on account of unusual fertility the crop has grown well without inoculation, if the root nodules which indicate the presence of bacteria are lacking, it is well to inoculate in order to prevent the depletion of the soil's supply of nitrogen. Inoculation is also necessary when a legume is to be grown after a lapse of several years, as the bacteria die off when the host plant is absent. In short, when there is any doubt the best policy is to inoculate. How to do this is fully told in the new pamphlet which may be obtained from the Publications Branch, Department of Agriculture, Ottawa.

Old Gentleman (who has collided violently with a young man) — "I beg your pardon, sir?" Young man — "Entirely my fault, sir."

"Then, why the blazes don't you look where you're going?"

"I've come to ask you if you'll subscribe to this desecrating charity."

"Certainly, I'll give you this check now."

"But I can't sign it."

"I know, I wish to remain anonymous."

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One of World's Wonders

Porcelain Tower of China Was 251 Feet High

The famous Porcelain Tower of China has been spoken of by one of the wonders of the world. It stood a little way outside the gate of Amoy, says a writer in the New York Times, on an eminence in the grounds of a Buddhist monastery. General in form, its nine stories tapered from the base to the top, which was 251 feet above the ground. The first story was 120 feet in circumference and the top was reached by a spiral staircase. Each story was devoted to one room, richly painted and gilded with small golden idols set in niches.

The body of the tower was of brick faced with porcelain tiles of many brilliant colors. Each story was defined by a projecting cornice of green tiles, with golden bells hanging from the points.

The roof was copper, topped by a thirty-foot mast surmounted by a gilded ball. The mast was set in an immense ornate iron ball, encased with many symbolic figures. This ball was used as a receptacle for the treasure of the monastery, the hollow interior being filled with jewels, gold, silver, pearls, bottles of silk, satin and brocades, books of ancient medical lore, rare medicines and thousands of strings of cash.

Only by a difficult engineering feat could this great ball of iron, weighing twenty-four tons and measuring thirty-six feet in circumference, have been placed on its pedestal high above the ground. The inside of the tower was illuminated at night by hundreds of lamps, while the outside also was lighted.

One hundred and fifty-two bolts secured the tower. The tower took nineteen years to build (it was completed in 1450) and it cost the equivalent of \$3,215,978 in Canadian currency. Lightning, fire and war in turn attacked the tower and the 'Taiping' rebels finished the work of destruction.

Muskegs Are Valuable

Mosses and Muskegs Along H. C. Railway Can Be Utilized Profitably

Who says the muskegs of Northern Manitoba are worthless wastes? They may be worth more than good prairie wheat land. Science has been at work and has discovered that the mosses and muskegs along the Hudson Bay Railway constitute an immense raw material that can be successfully utilized for manufacturing alcohol. These muskegs are entirely different from those of Eastern Canada. They are not a tangle of dead, but have hard, solid in large quantities, which can be made the basis of an important fertilizer, being the food for the bacteria which attracts the nitrogen so necessary in propagating vegetation. They, so it would appear possible the muskegs will be other industries in the north than mining, fishing and paper making.

Investigating Indian Tradition

Foresters Looking for Giant Douglas Fir Near Duncan, B.C.

Foresters are investigating a tradition among Indians here that a giant Douglas fir, larger than any known specimen, is growing on Mount Skeels, near Duncan, B.C. According to the Indian story, the tree is at least 100 feet in circumference and more than 500 feet high. This would dwarf all other trees in Canada and also force the famous Sequoia of California to take second place. Bristow Indians with outstretched arms are said to be able to barely span the trunk of the monster tree.

Whether or not the giant Douglas fir is a myth, the Cowichan district claims possession of the largest maple in Canada. At a height of five feet above the ground level, this specimen of Canada's national tree has a circumference of forty feet.

Airplane Parcel Delivery
Airplane soon will help bring to the housewife her order of a spoon of thread, a fur coat, a head of lettuce, or a jar of apple sauce says John W. Scott, vice-president of a large Chicago department store. The airplane will be used in conveying parcels from larger city stores to suburban store stations, where motor cars will complete the delivery. Mr. Scott said.

Creameries in Dairy Pool

Approximately forty of the creameries in operation in Alberta will be included in the dairy pool this season. It is announced by pool officials. This is nearly half of all the creameries operating in the province. The pool is handling a large percentage of the dairy business in the northern half of the province.



THE FOREST FRIEND

A forest fire in a great national playground like Jasper National Park, is no abstract matter to be thought of in terms of education and policy, but as one of daily bread and butter to those who gain their livelihood from the bounties of nature.

Major Fred Brewster, famous Rocky Mountain guide and outfitter, has realized this and he has invented the above tray for the use of those who desire to smoke while trail riding. The tray hangs to the front of the saddle by the strap which, for the purpose of the picture, has been cut down, and it is close to the hand of the rider. Every saddle horse belonging to Major Brewster will be equipped with one of these Forest Friends before it is allowed to go on the trail in Jasper National Park this summer.

B.C. Claims Egg Record

The claim is made that the big most egg ever laid by a British hen is the one laid by a white Leghorn pullet, owned by Mr. Graham, of Wilkesville, B.C. This egg weighs 5 1/2 ounces, and measures 9 1/2 inches in circumference over the ends and 8 inches around the middle. The pullet was hatched on P. E. Puller's poultry farm on April 17.

A young woman in a small suburb, the proud but distracted mother of two mischievous little boys, was overheard by a neighbor to call to the older one: "Joe, oh, Joe, go find Bobby and tell him to stop whatever he is doing!"



Fine Family for the West

George Sutherland, of Somersetshire, England, his wife and fourteen children, eight boys and six girls, are now at Ahsanak, north of Edmonton, Alberta, where he has taken up land and where he will not be troubled by lack of help at seeding, plowing and harvest times. This is the type of family which the Canadian Pacific Railway is making every effort to obtain for the West and with such as these going forward, great strides in the colonization of that country are being made. "Fourteen" is one of the major agricultural counties of England and if this family can succeed in introducing to Alberta the delicious cream buns for which that county is famous, they will be popular enough to run for the provincial assembly within a few years. In the meantime and by the very facts of their case, their success as farmers seems to be assured in advance.

Lengthening the Span

Expectancy of Life Has Advanced During Recent Years

Modern health precautions, together with the remarkable advances of science, are making for longer life. Some experts, such as Dr. William J. Mayo, look to the day when three-score and ten will be the average instead of the allotted span as defined by the Psalmist. The extension of the average life in the last century has been quite considerable, and it is the more remarkable after five centuries in which little or no advance was made. The amelioration for the relief of pain and the anticipation for the prevention of infection in wounds, were alone great steps of the past seventy-five years.

Progress is yet far from finished, according to Mr. Lee K. Frankel, second vice-president of the Metropolitan Life Insurance Company. In a recent declaration, "At least ten years more," he says, "could be added to the prevailing expectation of life for the average person in the United States. This is a most conservative estimate, which does not take future medical progress into account. Researches are now being done in laboratories and clinics into the cause and prevention of cancer, pneumonia, infantile paralysis, the common cold, influenza, and other diseases whose etiology is as yet not fully understood, which may revolutionize present methods of treatment. When we have these in our grasp and they follow in the wake of yellow fever, smallpox, and other diseases which we have conquered, we may confidently look forward to a life expectancy of seventy, eighty even one hundred years—who can say?"

The work of the scientists in the laboratories is being constantly supplemented by Government and local Health Bureaus, by the counsel of life insurance companies, and by such welfare bodies as the Red Cross Society, which has adapted its war efforts to peace channels. The total result should be an appreciable gain in health and in longer life. —Toronto Globe.

Thousands Join Pilgrimage

Pilgrimage of India

Thousands of pilgrims are joining the great pilgrimage to pray to the newly discovered "man-worshipping" palm tree at Segota Village, in the Poonch district. They report that the palm buds gradually at sunrise, lies on the ground at noon and rises at sunset. Scientists of the Bose Institute are investigating the phenomenon. The newspapers here recall the account related by Sir Jagadish Bose, noted Indian scientist, of the praying date palm of Faridpur, which is said to have bowed down every evening when the temple bells rang out a call for prayer.

Red Deer Radio Station

One of the most powerful radio stations in Canada will be erected in Red Deer, Alberta, by the Alberta Pacific Grain Co. Station will be operated in both Calgary and Edmonton by remote control to the main broadcasting station in Red Deer. It is also announced that Alberta will have a permanent radio inspector, serving the entire province.

When a man lacks nerve he is likely to think he is distressed.

Lifting Huge Railroad Bridge

Remarkable Feat Being Carried Out in South Africa

Nearly 2,000 miles from Capetown, in the swartland of Northern Rhodesia, one of the largest engineering feats ever attempted in Africa, is in progress in the lifting of the Kafue railway bridge, which is 1,349 feet long and weighs 310 tons.

The bridge consists of 13 spans, and is one of the longest in Africa. With the aid of 28 hydraulic jacks, not two feet long, this huge bulk is gradually being lifted from its 28-year-old foundation to make it immune from the annual threat of flooding by the sluggish waters of the Kafue.

Traffic is allowed over the bridge when all is made secure after each successive lift. The total height the bridge is to be lifted is five feet, and each lift is of ten inches.

When a lift is made the jacks are placed in position under the saddling girder, which joins the spans together. Each span is worked by two levers under the orders of a witness, there being other levers to do the jacking as the bridge ascends two inches at a time.

As the bridge rises, huge wooden wedges are inserted and under a steady pressure pushed home, so that the weight is automatically taken off the jacks. When each lift is completed a concrete block is swung in to place on each pier and cemented into position.

When completed the work of raising the bridge will have necessitated no fewer than 1,600 concrete blocks, 1,800 bags of cement, and hundreds of feet of timber. The cost will be \$25,000.

Chinese Applies for Position

Unique Letter Received by Financial House in London

At a time when your dispatches from China are necessarily filled with so much grave and anxious news your readers may welcome the following authentic and entirely non-political letter which was lately received by one of the principal financial houses in this city:

"Dear Sir—I am Wang. It is for my personal benefit that I write for a position in your honorable bank. I have a flexible brain that will adapt itself to your business and in consequence bring good efforts to your service. My education was impressed upon me in the Peking University, in which place I graduated Number One."

"I can drive a typewriter with good taste and my English is great. My references are of good and should you hope to see me they will be ready by you with great pleasure."

"My last job has left itself from me for the good reason that the large man has said. It was on account of no fault of mine. So, honorable Sir, what about it? If it can be of big use to you, I will arrive on some date that you should suggest. Faithfully yours, "WANG."

Origin of "Robinson Crusoe"

Author Got Background of Story From Three Sources

Tales from an old basket maker, the appearance of a strong man dressed in skins and a name glimpsed on a handbill save Daniel Defoe the background for the story of Robinson Crusoe, says "The Story Magazine." When Defoe was a boy he used to listen to the basket maker, who had been a sailor, as he told of his harrowing experiences at sea. Later Defoe participated in the attempt of James Oglethorpe, Duke of Mouchie, to overthrow James II. as ruler of England. When the cause was lost, Defoe escaped to a churchyard and hid in the shadow of a tomb. One night while hiding he noticed the name "Robinson Crusoe" on a stone and let his imagination play on the strange experiences the man buried there might have had. Still later in Bristol he noticed a man of strange appearance dressed in skins. People called him Alexander Selkirk and he had been adrift on an uninhabited desert island.

Changed His Mind

Wife—"How do you like my new hat?" Husband—"The idea of paying big prices for—"

Wife—"Big prices! Why, I made it myself!"

Husband—"Um—er—er—as I was saying, the idea of paying big prices for such monstrosities as the milliners are showing! Now, your hat is a work of art—looks as if it came from Paris. Beautiful, my dear!"

Traffic problems are not new in London. As far back as 1691, coaches so congested London's narrow streets that the government had to take control.

Preserving Old Totem Poles

Many in B.C. Using Put Into Condition as Permanent Exhibits

An outdoor museum, which may be done on the site of the old Totem Poles, is in process of completion in Western Canada, and travelers during the coming season can "do" this collection from a train window. This unique, panoramic museum is a large collection of fine old Indian totem poles.

The outdoor museum is being established by the Department of Indian Affairs, and experts from the Government Museum are now at work preserving the poles so that the wood will not decay further from exposure to weather. As good specimens of these Indian carvings are becoming rare, the collection has considerable value, as well as being picturesque.

Hartha E. Smith, representative of the Government Museum, was at Kitimane, British Columbia, in 1925, and 1926, directing the preservation of eighteen poles and two totem figures, and this year poles at Gipsy Creek and nearby stations are to be put into condition as permanent exhibits. In all, about thirty-three poles can be viewed from passing trains and 100 can be seen by automobile within a fifteen-mile radius of stations on the Canadian National Railway.

Omnibus Exceeded Speed Limit

Driver of "Old Bill" Let Off With Small Fine

Old Bill, the famous London Omnibus, which did such hard service during the war in France, has got into some trouble as an overzealous. Many a London fighting man took his last journey on Old Bill in the war zone. Back in England it was taken to Buckingham Palace, filled with drivers and conductors who had fought in the war, where the King inspected both the men and the bus, and also the brass tablet which Old Bill now wears on its flank in commemoration of the war service. Old Bill was later presented to the men's society, to be used in funerals and other ceremonies.

At Wilkesden police court, Old Bill's driver, John Freeman, was summoned for driving Old Bill in excess of the speed limit. Old Bill at the time was laden with wreaths for a funeral, but on being fined, was found to have exceeded the speed limit. In reply to a remark in court that Old Bill could still go, the driver said that it was a bit hard to start up, but he made up for it once he had got going. In view of Old Bill's war service the fine was set at the minimum of £2.

Agriculturists From Italy

Italian Farm Colony to be Established in Winnipeg District

Another Italian farm colony has been established in the Winnipeg district with Signorina Italia Garibaldi, a descendant of the famous Italian patriot of that name, as the leading spirit. Two and a half sections of land, 1,560 acres, have been purchased and here the nucleus of the settlement will be located. The first party of colonists, 29 in number, arrived early in May. They are from North Italy and are experienced agriculturists. They will engage in raising poultry, raising and truck raising. The farm is already equipped with live stock and implements and necessary buildings. Last year Italian farm colonists were established at Levett and Altona, Manitoba. By next spring the value of the land will be \$250,000.

Forests Are Valuable

The forests of Canada rank second only to agriculture in the value of their products. They are the source of one-quarter of the export trade; they provide 20 per cent of the entire freight haulage on Canadian railways and in addition substantially augment passenger traffic earnings by the attraction of tourists, they provide direct employment for over 57,000 workers.

A man who fired a gun at an airplane, near Bournemouth, England, is described as a gentleman farmer. A real farmer would have known an airplane and the ordinary run of barnyard fowl.

Artificial sleep by means of ether was first produced by Dr. William T. G. Morton in 1846 in Boston.

Men grow at a thing and if they happen to come out their way they boast of their good judgment.

A beautiful woman without personality is like an electric light bulb without the current turned on.



Why! This is My Old Standby!

We use it at our house every day. The children just love Wrigley's.

WRIGLEY'S SPEARMINT GUM

After Every Meal

WORLD HAPPENINGS BRIEFLY TOLD

Establishment of a cremery in Sydney, under the auspices of the Nova Scotia Government, is announced.

Arrangement for the shipment of nearly 1,000 horses from the ranges of Interior British Columbia to Russia this summer have been completed.

Announcement was made by Hon. Charles McTavish, Ontario minister of mines, that nine geological expeditions, that parties would operate in the province during this summer.

Tenente Chinese are raising funds to exhume the remains of 100 Chinese buried in Ontario with a view to sending them to China for reburial there.

There is a large and growing interchange of trade between Canada and Japan, according to Trade Commissioner James A. Langley, stationed at Kobe, Japan.

A proclamation by the governor-in-council here invites the people of Canada to "contribute generously" to a Dominion-wide campaign for funds to be carried on behalf of the Canadian Red Cross between May 21 and July 1.

Farmers in Illinois are ploughing at night in an effort to get around ready for corn planting after a delay of nearly a month, caused by heavy rains. Tractors have been equipped with headlights and many farmers are running them 24 hours a day.

The importation of potatoes into Canada from Europe, the Azores Islands, Canary Islands, Newfoundland, the islands of St. Pierre and Miquelon and the State of California, are prohibited under an order-in-council made public in the Canada Gazette.

Lord General Sir Horcher, Under-Secretary of the Royal Canadian Mounted Police, has been appointed to the office of lieutenant of the tower of London. Sir Horcher, who is 61 years old, was born in Nova Scotia. He entered the Royal Artillery when 19 years of age.

Appetite Gone? Nervous? Why Wait for a Breakdown?



Mrs. I. Hicks

London, Ont.—"Dr. Pierce's Golden Medical Discovery is the tonic I took when in a weakened and run-down state of health and it strengthened me at once. My appetite improved, and my nerves became normal. In fact I have felt so much improved in health since I took the 'Golden Medical Discovery' that I would never hesitate to recommend it to any other person who is in a debilitated and nervous condition. It is the only tonic I would ever take again if necessary."

Mrs. I. Hicks, General Delivery, Golden Medical Discovery, Bridgeburg, Ont., and sold by all druggists, in both tablets and liquid form. Dr. Pierce 100 if you wish a trial pkg.

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Canadian War Claims Total Fifty Million

Commission Will Probably Pay Nine Millions for Losses

More than nine million dollars will probably be paid to Canadians for losses suffered during the great war. This sum, it is stated, represents the total amount approved for payment out of claims aggregating fifty million dollars. In an interim report prepared by James Fyfe, K.C., Minister of War, the commission is vesting Canadian claims for war indemnity against Germany.

Approximately 1,197 awards have been made, while thirteen remaining cases remain to be reported upon by the commission. It is expected that this final report will be available in the near future.

A list of the number of successful claimants is being withheld until the whole question of payment of these claims is considered by a sub-committee of the cabinet. Little likelihood exists, however, that the matter of payment will be seriously considered until the commission's final report is received. It is generally accepted, though, that this question will be before Parliament at its next session, which body alone, it is felt, can finally authorize payment.

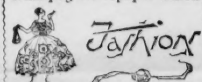
Votes for Women

Arguments That Women Are Mentally Inferior to Men Is Answered

"Sir Wilfrid Laurier, once told me that he wanted the vote for all women in Canada," said Prof. Carle, Dorell professor of political science at the University of Toronto.

The argument that women were mentally inferior to men Prof. Dorell answered from her vast biological knowledge. She showed that while there had been more men than women in the world, there was the same preponderance of men who were insane and feeble-minded over mentally unimpaired women. Since men was an abnormality, this meant that there was a greater proportion of women with the normal qualities needed in the everyday work of running a country.

Winnipeg Newspaper Union



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ADDED TO THE WHITE STAR LINE FLEET



The S.S. Calgarie, 16,062 tons, one of the two steamers recently added to the White Star Line Canadian Service.

The Calgarie will be a binding link with Scotland because she will maintain a regular and direct service to Glasgow before completing her east-bound voyages at Liverpool.

The Calgarie has five decks including the boat deck. The public rooms are located on "A" deck which is also covered, thereby enabling passengers to enjoy day excursions irrespective of the weather. The lounge, the smoke-room and the verandah area are grouped on this promenade deck.

Another lounge and the gymnasium are on "B" deck, the accommodation on which also includes suites and a number of staterooms, all of which are equipped with beds.

Women Score Success in Business

Saskatchewan Egg and Poultry Pool Reports Big Returns

When lovely women came into the egg and poultry business on a co-operative basis, were many may find their method worthy of emulation. At the first annual meeting of the Saskatchewan Egg and Poultry Pool, the directors of which, except one, are all women, the report for the year's business showed a turnover valued at \$557,117. The Pool began business at the end of March, 1926. During the year it handled 1,195,417 dozen of eggs, and \$19,909 pounds of poultry.

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Cheap Electricity

Electricity is one item in the cost of living in Canada which is much cheaper now than in previous years. The Dominion Bureau of Statistics index number shows a reduction in the price of electricity for residences lighting of 31.3 per cent. from 1913 to 1926. Canada leads the world in the per capita distribution of electricity from central electric power stations.

Worms are encountered by mankind conditions of the stomach and bowels, and on school. Miller's Worm Powder will alter these conditions almost immediately and will sweep the worms away. No destructive parasite can live in contact with this medicine, which is not only a worm destroyer, but a healthful food, the most beneficial to the young constitution.

A will, consisting of twenty-five words, exclusive of signatures, disposed of property valued "at more than \$1,000." It was written on the back of a bridge card and by a Minnola, New York, woman.

Feeling—"I want you to know that I'm nobody's fool!"

Nell—"Why? Won't anybody have you?"

CONSTIPATION
A cause of many ills. Harmful to elderly people. Get relief without griping or nausea with Chamberlain's Tablets. Set your liver right—15c

SUNDAY SCHOOL LESSON

MAY 22

PETER HEALS THE LAME MAN

Golden Text: "In him we have eternal life: for neither is there any other name under heaven, that is given among men, wherein we must be saved."—Acts 4:12.

Lesson: Acts 3:1 to 4:1.

Devotional Reading: Isaiah 35:1-6.

Explanations and Comments

1. Peter Heals a Lame Man. Acts 3:1-10. Nine in the morning and those in the afternoon were the hours for sacrifice and prayer. It was the hour, or three in the afternoon, when Peter and John, the two apostles so often mentioned together in the Gospel narratives, went to the temple to pray. They observed the hours of prayer in the temple, for the only difference between the followers of Christ and other Jews was that they believed Jesus to be the Messiah. The realization that Christianity was meant to replace Judaism came to them very gradually.

There was always a place in the lives of the apostles for communion with God. Peter had an "hour," a definite time and place in their program of living. Their Master had said to them: "Prayer. Have we?" At the temple door which was called Beautiful they saw a man sitting and begging of all who passed. He had been lame from birth, and was daily carried to the temple by his friends. Every one in Jerusalem must have known him well. "He was part of the city landscape," the people knew him as they knew the carved columns of the temple doorway.

There was a close connection between religion and philanthropy. Church men are the great workers. Love of God finds expression in love to man.

The man was not expecting him from every worshippers, and probably feared the influence of Peter and John. To reveal his attention upon them and arouse his expectations, Peter said to him, "Look on us." And the beggar gave heed to them. Then said Peter, "Silver and gold have I none."

He is the poor man who can say, "Only silver and gold have I." But what I have, that give I to thee," added Peter. You remember the story told by Turgenev of the Russian who put his hands in his pockets and said, "I have nothing here, and then said to the beggar before him, 'I am sorry, brother, I have nothing left but my heart, and the beggar, touched by the word, brother, said, 'That too, was a gift, brother.'"

To Increase Elevator Facilities

Plans Made to Increase Facilities All Over Prairie

The conviction that the grain crops of Western Canada during the next decade will attain new high levels is being held in grain exchange circles as well as in the headquarters of the Canadian Wheat Pool. As a result provisions plans have been made to increase elevator facilities all over the prairie. The big railway construction program is also adding to the requirements in this connection.

Foremost in the construction activity is the Saskatchewan Wheat pool, the board of directors of which decided at their recent meeting to build or acquire elevators at 57 additional points. This will bring the number of elevators owned by the Saskatchewan organization up to the total of 614. The pool has already decided at which points elevators are to be placed. At no central will structures be built if the average deliveries during the past two years have been less than 50,000 bushels.

The United Grain Growers' Limited are also extending their program of elevator construction. At ten different towns in Manitoba new structures are now being built. Under lease the company is still operating elevators which the Manitoba Government still owns, and new elevators are to be built at some of these points. A number of new elevators are to be erected in Alberta during the present year.

Paid to Change Name

Because of the great number of Andersons and Andersons in Stockholm, the Swedish royal government has suggested a government premium to those who will agree to change their names. The Andersons alone occupy 25 signs of the Stockholm directory.

Worms feed upon the vitality of children and endanger their lives. A simple and effective remedy is Mott's or Graves' Worm Exterminator.

Livestock Feeding Station

The Live Stock Producers of Canada have been an option on a 22-acre site at Saskatoon on which it is proposed to establish a live stock feeding station at Edmonton, where they feed several thousand head of cattle every winter.

With shifting scenes many a pretended friend shows up as an enemy.

A German biologist says orange outcrops can sing. We know it. We have a radio, too.

Keep Minard's Liniment in the house.

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Cheapest Is Not Best

Men Find Paying Low Wages Is Poor Economy

Not long ago a business man studied the transportation of goods from Tientsin, China, to the desert of Gobi. Coolies carried all this merchandise, moving mile after mile at a steady, safe-declaring trot, and working for only a few cents a day—probably the lowest wages received by any laborers on earth. On the other side of the world huge freight trains carry coal from the mines down to tide-water. There are many miles of costly track. There are highly expensive locomotives and cars to be built and maintained; there are crews of well-paid trainmen to operate them. There has been a tremendous investment of capital, an opposed to almost no investment at all on the Tientsin-Gobi route. Yet the cost per ton of transporting goods in the American rail fields is just about one per cent. of the cost of the "cheap" Chinese transportation. Business men and industrialists have forever exploded the old belief that it is economical to have vast armies of poorly paid, hard-working "wage slaves" to do the work.

A man has no right to stone his wife, but he may rock his baby.

Could Not Sleep Heart and Nerves Were So Bad

Mr. Geo. Meek, Windsor, Ont., writes—"I suffered with heart and nerves and could not sleep at night for months in my bed. I managed to get up and work, but I began to have dizzy spells which were so bad I could not go to my work. I was afraid to go out any place, for every step I would stagger as my feet and everything in front of me would turn black and fade away. While I was in this state a friend told me to take I got four boxes and by the time I had used them the pains and noises in my head ceased and I was able to get a good night's rest. Although that was six years ago I have never been troubled with that complaint again."

Price \$5, a box at all dealers, or mailed direct on receipt of price by The T. Milburn Co., Limited, Toronto, Ont.

BAKERS' OVENS—Write for catalogue and list of used ovens. Hubbard Oven Company, 2100 Queen West, Toronto, Ont.

THE NEW FRENCH REMEDY: THERAPION NO. 1 THERAPION NO. 2 THERAPION NO. 3

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SOVIET BUILDING IS RAIDED BY SCOTLAND YARD

London.—One of the most spectacular raids in London's history has taken place, when 15 men from Scotland Yard swooped down upon the Soviet House in Moorgate and took charge not only of the Arocs office, but the quarters occupied by the Russian trade delegation, whose officials are supposed to be immune from arrest.

The Scotland Yard men were reinforced by 60 uniformed policemen, who surrounded the five-story building, and no one was permitted to enter or depart without permission. Acting under the instructions of the Home Office, the men took complete charge of the entire building.

Last February the British Government sent a note to Soviet Russia protesting against Bolshevik propaganda directed at Great Britain in China, Persia, and elsewhere, and particularly in Great Britain. The note warned against "the continued notoriously unsatisfactory relations" between the two governments.

Sir Austen Chamberlain, foreign secretary, told the House of Commons on April 7 that there was no prospect then of Great Britain breaking off diplomatic relations with Soviet Russia. In a previous statement Sir Austen warned that there were limits to the Government's patience with regard to anti-British propaganda.

Irish Free State Cannot Claim Bonds

Is Not Successor to Irish Republic Says U.S. Judge

New York.—Supreme court Justice Peters dissipated the suit brought by the Irish Free State claiming to be successor of the "Irish Republic" and entitled to the \$2,500,000 bonds, the unexpended portion of more than \$5,000,000 subscribed for in the United States for the republic's currency.

Justice Peters also denied the claim of Eamon De Valera and his associates, O'Mara, to the bonds and ruled that the proceeds from the sale of the bonds here should revert to original subscribers.

Prince Will Be Kept Busy

Has Many Engagements Before Leaving for Canada in June

London.—Looking bruised and heavily, the Prince of Wales has returned from his trip to France and Spain, which kept him away from home about a month. He was accompanied on his return by Prince George. They were greeted at Waterloo station by the Spanish ambassador, to whom the British heir apparent remarked that he had enjoyed a very pleasant time in Spain.

The Prince of Wales is facing a full list of engagements, both public and private, before he leaves for his trip to Canada in July.

Task for Boy Scouts

Ontario.—The Boy Scouts' Association of Canada has offered its services to the national committee for the celebration of the jubilee of Confederation, and has requested that to them be allotted the task of decorating the graves of the Confederation Fathers.

Where the graves of the Fathers are distant from central points, the Scouts will delegate faithful members of its order to perform the task. Simple wreaths of Maple Leaves will form the decoration.

New Cruisers Have Long Range

Styrene, Australia.—New Australian cruisers, Canberra and Australia, now being constructed in Great Britain, have a length of 690 feet, with 68 feet beam, and will carry 3,400 tons of fuel oil. They are designed for a speed of 35 knots, equipped with 25 main and 10 auxiliary American and Japanese engines, but their range of action will be much greater.

Parties Almost Even

St. John's, Nfld.—A legislature in which the parties are almost evenly divided opened its session here May 4. Premier Murray will have 18 followers in the legislative assembly, while the oppositionists will number 17.

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Ready to Test Beam Service

Messages Between Canada and Australia Possible Within Six Weeks, It Is Reported

Melbourne, Australia.—It is officially stated that the Marconi beam service between Australia and Canada is now practically ready for testing purposes. The aerial transmitting station is almost completed and the assembling of the transmitting apparatus well advanced.

Hopes are entertained that the service will be in operation within six weeks or possibly a month.

Montreal officials of the Marconi company confirmed the above report, declaring that the situation in Canada was practically the same as in Australia.

Mr. Thompson, the chief engineer, said that the messages from Australia would be received by the apparatus at Vancouver, near Three Rivers, and that Canadian messages to the Commonwealth could be dispatched from Drummondville, Que.

He expected the beam system would be functioning properly within six weeks.

Must Surrender Aims To U.S. Government

General Disarmament in Nicaragua Essential if Status Survive

Managua, Nicaragua.—Plans are under way to drop from aeroplanes and otherwise distribute thousands of copies of a proclamation drawn up by Rear Admiral Latorre, commander of the United States naval forces in Nicaragua waters, saying he has been directed by the United States government to accept the custody of the arms and ammunition of those willing to give them up, including the government forces, and to disarm forcibly those who do not peacefully deliver up their arms.

"The United States government," the proclamation declares, "having accepted the request of the Nicaraguan government to supervise the elections in 1924, believes general disarmament necessary for the proper and successful conduct of such elections."

Can Deport Immigrants Who Refuse Positions

Department Has Power to Deal With Such Cases

Ottawa.—A week of good weather would clear up any congestion of immigrants in the western cities, it was stated at the immigration department offices. The swelling being so late this year has meant that the usual demand for farm labor has been retarded.

The department stated that it is reported, men who had entered the country as farm workers are refusing to take positions, deportation was the quickest and most effective method of dealing with such cases. The department has the power to send immigrants back to their countries of origin if they refuse to take work when it is offered.

Want Labor-saving Devices

General.—Women delegates to the international economic conference contributed their bit today to the fight for the world's economic restoration.

They introduced a resolution for the creation in all countries of committees compelling of housewives and manufacturers to establish practical types of household utensils which would economize labor both in the home and in the industrial production of such articles.

Says Water Seal Aided Tragedy

Toronto.—Sir Frederick Stuart, director of the Toronto bureau of the Dominion Meteorological Office, expressed the definite opinion that any excess of water had not been taken from the Great Lakes system through the Chicago drainage canal, the raging Mississippi floods that have taken such toll of life, and property would have been very much less severe.

Non-Stop Flight to India

London.—Announcement has been made that Lieut. C. R. Carr, as pilot, and Flight Lieut. L. S. M. Gilman, as a big specially constructed Hawkeye, will start probably on May 20 from the Conwell aerodrome in Lincolnshire on a non-stop flight to India, a distance of 4,000 miles, which they hope to accomplish in 18 hours.

Ministers Doing Double Duty

Ottawa.—Hon. J. A. Robb, Minister of Finance, will be acting minister of trade and commerce during the absence of Hon. James Macdonald. In the absence of Hon. Charles Stewart, minister of interior, will be acting minister of immigration while Hon. Robert Forke is in the Old Country.

Strange Phenomenon In Owen Sound Harbor

Water Moved Out and Returned Much Above Normal Level

Owen Sound, Ont.—Waters in Owen Sound harbor and the Sydenham river were stirred up greatly recently, and no reason has been found for the phenomenon. Within a few minutes the waters in the harbor moved out so that the level was two feet lower than usual.

When the water returned, the level was much higher than under normal conditions. At one time the waters in the harbor got so low that some boats were resting on the mud at the bottom.

No Change in Policy

Britain Will Keep Mission to the Holy See

London.—Maintenance of an official British representative at the Vatican now can be regarded as a permanent policy of the British Government, Sir Austen Chamberlain, the Foreign Secretary, announced in the House of Commons.

"The Government does not intend withdrawing the mission to the Holy See," said Sir Austen. "It was found convenient to establish this delegation at a time of international trouble and difficulty, and to withdraw it now would be an almost offensive action to adopt."

British relations with the Holy See were established in 1914.

NO RETALIATION ON ACCOUNT OF BORDER RULING

Quebec, P.Q.—There will be no effort at retaliation on the part of Canada because the United States have chosen to restrict the movement of Canadians who are employed in the United States, and we are hoping that the whole matter will be amicably settled at the conference, declared Hon. Robert Forke, Minister of Immigration in connection with news despatches that the Department of Immigration had decided to investigate the number of Americans employed in this country as a means of retaliation against the United States measure.

Hon. Mr. Forke called from Quebec on board the Empress of France, for a three-months' tour of Europe. He was accompanied by Mrs. Forke and just prior to the Empress's sailing, gave an interesting event took place when a distinctive bell he made his way to the cabin occupied by Hon. and Mrs. Forke, and therein deposited huge bouquets of American Bouleaux and other flowers. There were a dozen or so bouquets among which was one from the local staff of the Immigration Department.

"The Minister of Immigration stated that he was going over to Europe to look over the immigration conditions and matters there, and also to see whether there were any suggestions to be made to the Imperial Government and others as to beneficial changes which may be made."

A possible increase in the 2,000 family scheme whereby the number of families which will come out to this country under the plan will be increased to 3,000, was voted by the minister.

"Of course," said Mr. Forke, "this is a matter that is largely up to the Imperial Government, but as regards the 1,200 and families that are scheduled to come out under the scheme this year, we will place them if we can find the land."

GOOD PROGRESS BEING MADE ON H. B. RAILROAD

Work and other conditions, coupled with some difficult engineering problems, had tended to interfere with the progress of the work, but Mr. Dunning felt that these had been able and that, allowing for the spring, these in charge of the building program now have their schedule well in hand.

The trip to Kettle Rapids, on the Nelson River, was made by train and from there to the Limestone River, Mile 256, the end of steel, by speeder.

The terminal under construction at Davidson, Mile 127, was inspected Wednesday, Mr. Dunning and party inspecting the roundhouse, coating plant, machine shop and other work now underway at that point.

W. A. Kingston, general manager, Western division, Canadian National Railways; H. A. Dixon, chief engineer, and J. G. MacFarlane, divisional engineer in charge of construction, accompanied the minister on his inspection tour.

May Press For Settlement

Possible Claim May Be Filed Over Seizure of Federal Ship

Vancouver.—Possible filing of claims by the Consolidated Fisheries, Limited, against the United States Government, in connection with the recent seizure of the home-land steamer Federality was indicated here by Harold Radtner, San Francisco attorney, who was in Vancouver conferring with officials of the company.

Mr. Radtner states that, because of admittedly illegal seizure by the United States of a vessel of foreign registration, the way is open to demand and physical claims in connection with damages sustained by the company and crew. According to Mr. Radtner, it is the purpose of the company to go into the matter immediately, and if claims are undoubted to carry such a procedure, to press for settlement.

Increase in Canada's Trade

Total During Twelve Months Shows Advance of Forty-two Millions

Ottawa.—Canada's total trade increased approximately \$12,000,000 during the twelve months of the fiscal year ending March 31. Total trade for the 12 months was \$2,298,465,617, as compared with \$2,256,928,369 for the previous 12 months and \$1,878,291,189 in the 12 months ending March 31, 1925.

The twelve months just ended witnessed a decrease of approximately \$61,000,000 in Canadian exports and an increase of approximately \$162,000,000 in imports when compared with the 12 months of the previous fiscal year.

To Build Big Hospital

Toronto.—Mrs. A. E. Bessie, recently introduced a donation representing the Women's College Hospital to the provincial secretary. It is the intention of the college to build a new million dollar structure on property acquired. The new hospital is to have 150 beds. The provincial secretary promised consideration.

Solves Problem OF ELIMINATION OF WEED PESTS

London.—The problem of the scientific elimination of certain weed pests, which has baffled researchers in America and Europe for 20 years, has been solved, it is claimed, by a young Canadian scientist, Leonard Haskins, of the University of Alberta.

At the Royal Society here he showed the results of two years' experiments at King's College, London, on the botanical culture of the cotton, which he recently has been appointed Professor Haskins' discovery, which is of great value to farmers, as it is expected to bring about an appreciable improvement in cereal crops.

The method of tracing the revelation in the wild type of the so-called false wild oats, which are a well known pest in Canada and the United States and elsewhere.

Irregularities in the chromosomes, were found to be responsible for these abnormal reversions, which also occur in wheat and other food plants, and it is asserted that through this discovery it will be possible to produce varieties of plants containing only the normal type of chromosomes, which never produce degenerate forms.

Returns From World Tour

Mrs. George Stephen, Winnipeg, who arrived in New York April 12 on board the Canadian Pacific flagship Empress of Scotland, having completed a 70-day tour of the world, visiting twenty countries. Mrs. Stephen was in Shanghai and Peking about two months previously.

Forecast Heavy Grain Shipments to Europe

Large Volume of Tonnage Has Already Been Chartered

Port William, Ont.—Recent grain shipments have led to the latest reports since the official opening of navigation April 18, according to a report issued by P. A. Friesl, statistician to the grain commission.

Shipments to April 20 totalled more than 400,000 bushels and heavy export shipments from seaboard ports to Europe during May and during the early part of June are forecast in the report.

Mr. Friesl says: "From reports received from different sources, the export movement from Atlantic seaboard ports to Europe will be very heavy throughout May and at least the early part of June. A very large volume of tonnage has been chartered already, aggregating close to 100,000 bushels of all grades. These heavy purchases undoubtedly are occasioned by a more or less urgent need of grain. At least statistics of the world's wheat show an ample surplus of supplies in exporting countries over indicated requirements by importers. The shortage of the eye and potato crops of 1925 are partially responsible for a larger wheat consumption."

It is apparent, Mr. Friesl points out, that a large portion of export grain will be shipped via United States Atlantic seaboard ports, a heavy volume of tonnage having been chartered, much of it rates around 12 cents per 100 pounds to some British ports and Antwerp Rotterdam.

Many Unemployed Men Available for Farms

But Demand in Alberta Is Expected to Drop Off

Edmonton.—With about 5,000 men unemployed in farm employment throughout the province this season, the peak of the spring farm labor situation has been reached, according to Walter Sutton, commissioner of labor, and now men are expected to be steadily dropping off. There are still many unemployed men available for work on the farms if wanted, but the lateness of the season, the reduced acreage in consequence and the influx of immigrant labor are combining to restrict the calls for help from Alberta farmers.

Notwithstanding the more or less unusual features of the situation this spring, the total number of men placed is not greatly below that of last year. About 5,600 placements on farms were made for the same period in 1924.

Sends Demand to China

Japan Wants Soldiers Removed From Consulate at Nanking

London.—Japan has peremptorily demanded that the Chinese authorities at Nanking give orders immediately to the withdrawal of soldiers who occupied the Japanese consulate at Nanking after the outrages of March 21, 1925.

The demand, the dispatch states, was not sent in the form of an ultimatum, but it is expected in Tokyo that the Chinese will comply without hesitation.

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Aerial Attack On Black Rust To Be Launched This Summer By The Dominion Government

An aerial attack on black rust, one of the most serious enemies of Canadian grain growing, will be launched this summer in an experiment by the Dominion Government.

Two aviators, who were sent down to the cotton fields of the Mississippi, and there for a week studied the methods recently adopted for fighting the bollworm, will, it is said, remarkable success, will give instruction for carrying on a similar campaign when the time arrives this summer, one in Western and one in Western Canada.

Wing Commander Anderson of Camp Borden said the aviators chosen were from that aviation body, that the aeroplane would be taken from the camp, and returned there when the summer was over. The campaign, however, is being directed from Ottawa.

"In order to be effective," Wing Commander Anderson said, "the flying has to be done as close above the growing crops as is safe. The dust is contained in a special apparatus on the aeroplane, and considerable practice is necessary to operate it efficiently. Wind conditions have to be taken into account, and the dusting is only done while flying in a certain direction, relative to the direction of the wind."

So serious had the losses from black rust in the cereal crops of Western Canada become that in September, 1921, a conference was called at Winnipeg by the department of agriculture and the Reserve Council of Canada. As a result of this, a series of experimental projects, covering all phases of the subject, were mapped out to be carried on in Western Canada. The present aeroplane attack is a continuation of these experiments.

Canada and the Empire

Viscount Byng Gives Address on Status of the Dominion

"Canada is in the midst of her evolution and she has no desire for our interference to tell her what she ought to do," Viscount Byng, former Governor-General of Canada, emphasized in an address in London on "The Canadian in Home Countries."

"She knows that the Old Country is ready to help her if she asks help," he added.

Viscount Byng thought they must take the word "imperialism" quite seriously to Canada and not try to thrust it down the people's throats. "Imagine," he said, "asking a Britisher 150 miles from a railway station to estimate over a strategic naval base at Singapore."

The speaker was not perturbed over talk of annexation and the proximity of Canada to the United States. "Seeing that the frontier is not guarded and is easily crossed you cannot expect the people on each side not to be a bit easy-going about each other," he said. "Personally, I think it rather a good thing."

Sugar Beets

Proper Cultural Methods Will be Adopted in the Raymond District

Beet seedling being in the Raymond district the middle of April, J. W. Evans, of the agricultural staff of the Canadian Sugar Company, was the first to begin drilling in this district. As field supervisor he is urging beet growers to adopt cultural methods in order to conserve moisture, so that a good germination of seed might be ensured. A good stand of beets, he said, is a vital factor and the first essential towards heavy tonnage at harvest time.

Winnipeg Stock Yards

Better Prices Bring Greater Returns Although Volume is Higher

Last year 132,125 head of cattle and 392,219 hogs were marketed through the Winnipeg Public Stock Yards, and realized \$21,017,000. Though the number of animals marketed was less than the 1925 record, the monetary return was \$1,000,000 greater, owing to the better prices that prevailed. Ontario feeders took 45,590 and 41,990 went to the United States feed lots, and 17,235 went to Manitoba farms. Sheep and lambs to the number of 55,595 were marketed, compared with 56,600 in 1925.

It's only the man with more money than brains who has more friends than enemies.

When a man borrows trouble he puts up his peace of mind as collateral.

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To Stamp Out Disease

Continuation of Educational Campaigns Will Be Necessary

A survey of health conditions during February across the whole continent, including Canada, has just been completed by Metropolitan Life statisticians. The excellent health conditions which prevailed during January, continue.

Compared with February, 1925, there are pronounced declines in death rates from measles, whooping cough, influenza, heart disease and pneumonia. Rates for typhoid, scarlet fever, diphtheria, diabetes, respiratory disease, and pneumonia, suicides and accidents were more or less higher.

So far, this year, there has been no alarming increase in the death rate from any disease but the small increase in diphtheria mortality constitutes a challenge to health workers. Since 1922 due to intensified campaigns for immunizing children and educational work the disease has been registering a new low point each year. The death rate dropped 60 per cent between 1921 and 1926 and this success was, perhaps, the greatest single sanitary accomplishment of last year.

There has not yet been time to determine, definitely, what is the exact cause of this increase, but preliminary research seems to indicate that the type of disease now prevalent is of almost entirely virulent. At any rate, the situation calls for increased watchfulness, a continuation of educational campaign and an intensified effort to stamp out the disease.



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Championship prizes for figure skating, speed skating, rifle shooting, bicycling, judo, hockey, basketball, wrestling, swimming, rowing, paddling and other sports are at present held in Ottawa. For the past few generations the Dominion Capital has been famous as a centre for all kinds of sports. Many of the athletes in other places, particularly on professional hockey teams in the United States, are natives of Ottawa. The Canadian capital and its environs have every conceivable facility and advantage for indulging in every kind of sport and recreation, so that the young people grow up with the conventional sports and traditions right at their elbow, as it were.

Dairying in Canada

Opportunities no Better Any Place Says South African Farm

"East-west—home's best" is an old saying and a commonly quoted proverb. In the fact, in South Africa.

E. Crohn, who went from British Columbia to East Griqualand, South Africa, says in a description of dairy farming conditions there that "there are no better opportunities in dairying farming here than in Canada."

Crohn was a cow tester in the Fraser Valley; part owner of a farm paper in B.C.; left Canada and spent some time in the "Channel Islands" visiting first hand information about Jerseys and Guernseys; is now farm manager and cheese maker on the East Griqualand dairy farm owned by R. A. Young, at Waverley. Natives do all the milking, etc., and a native labor is cheap. Crohn has a native woman cook at \$25 per month and a boy to help her at \$1 per month. Crohn does practically all the farm work he says, horses being used only for riding.

The Art of Time Saving

Room for Many More Improvements Along That Line

In the old-fashioned kitchen our mothers walked many useless miles. The modern householder, if guided by intelligence, pays little kitchen miles and cupboards in right relationship and saves time, every day so long as the house stands. But there is room for many more of such improvements and ample rewards awaiting those who can think. Time is worth more than it used to be. There are so many more things to do with it if it is saved. When our systems of education are broadened to meet the full requirements of modern life, doubtless they will give place to training in the simple yet mighty important art of time-saving.

It is better to be slandered by some men than to be praised by others.



Champion Cow

Another champion cow has made its bid for fame, this time appearing on the eastern horizon. She hails from Oxford County, Nova Scotia, being discovered at Fox River. "Rossanond" as this cow has been christened, is the property of Harry O. Kerr who claims she is going to eclipse the records of Betsy Wilex the Nova Scotia world's champion milk and butter producer.

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Safer to Declare Car

Advice Given to Canadian Settlers Returning From States

While repatriating Canadians are welcomed back into Canada and every consideration shown them by the customs officials, they being back an automobile, the only safe way to keep it from seizure is to report at once to the customs office at the port of entry.

R. W. Broadhead, commissioner of customs, points out that it was impossible to lay down a general principle, and each case can only be dealt with on its merits. The regulation is that only tourists' cars and settlers' effects are admitted without payment of duty, and they had to report their cars and get a permit. The permit may be extended on further application. This regulation only applies to bona fide tourists, however, or bona fide settlers.

"In the case of a man returning to Canada and intending to settle down here, could he bring his car?" he was asked.

"Again we would have to deal with the specific case," said the commissioner. "If he had been living in the United States and had a car, and then came back to Canada and intended to settle here, his car might come in as a settler's effects. If its value was less than \$1,000."

"The \$1,000 limit, however, does not apply to a farmer coming in with his effects. If his car is really one of his effects and is for his own use, he can bring it in even if it is over that value."

Brings In Good Revenue

Flour Milling Industry in Canada Shows Remarkable Growth

The Canadian flour milling industry is one of the main sources of Canadian industrial revenue; this manufacture vying with the pulp and paper industry for leadership among Canadian industrial activities in point of value of annual production. A recent government survey covering this industry since the first Dominion census was taken in 1871, reveals the remarkable growth of flour manufacture in Canada, which has in the time placed its product on markets all over the world, and made it as potent an advertiser of Canadian quality as the country's wheat. The development of the manufacture of flour in Canada has, in fact, very largely corresponded with the settlement and cultivation of the great wheat-growing territory of Western Canada. It is reasonable to suppose that the future of Canadian flour production will be gauged to some extent by further settlement in the wheat-growing areas, which have recently been considerably expanded.

Keeps Oath of Allegiance

Abolition of the oath of Allegiance to Britain was advocated in a Bill which came before the Bill 310, but which experienced a quick death. President Croke opposed it in the initial stage, saying that Ireland is in honor bound to observe the international agreement, namely, the Anglo-Irish treaty. The Bill was defeated forty-seven to seventeen.

Old Oak Canoe Found

An oak canoe, nine feet long, and estimated to be from four to ten thousand years old, has been unearthed on the south bank of the river Tyne, near Ryton. It is in an excellent state of preservation, and has been placed in the Hancock Museum, Newcastle-on-Tyne, England.

Party Of Canadian Farmers Will Leave For Europe To Study Marketing Conditions

Kansas City Woman

Is Customs Expert

Well Known to Officials All Over the World

A Kansas City woman, known in home and foreign ports as A. D. Jones, customs expert, has opened a new and interesting profession for women. Hanging out her business shingle twenty years ago before a Kansas City business office, Mrs. Jones has become one of the best known customs experts in the world. During the war vast shipments of raw materials and supplies were managed by Mrs. Jones at her desk in the inland port of Kansas City. While train after train passed through the Kansas City yards laden with goods from South America, Australia and the Orient bound for Oklahoma and Arkansas smelters, Mrs. Jones consulted for the government the duty on them and saw them properly landed, and on their way.

Mrs. Jones had made an extensive study of customs law and treasury decisions before entering her profession. She has a keen legal mind that enjoys a tussle with the regulations of the rapidly changing tariff laws, and she has now expanded her services to such worldwide proportions that she is known to customs officials in every civilized country in the world.

Politicians From U.S.

Former American Citizens Enter Politics in Western Provinces

Icon, O. L. McElroy, minister of public works in the Alberta provincial government, is a native of Kingman, Kansas. He moved to Vulcan, Alberta, in 1907 and began farming there. He now owns a 2,400 acre farm. Shortly after his election to the Legislature in 1921, when the farmers' party was voted into power, he was appointed Speaker and continued in that office until he resigned a few months ago to accept the position of vice lord. Ten other members of the Alberta Legislature came from the United States, and all have made a success of farming in Western Canada. Six members of the Saskatchewan Legislature also came from the United States.

Greatest Wheat Exporter

Proud Position Held By Canada Cannot Be Challenged

Although Canada has been ousted from the proud position of being the greatest wheat exporting country three times in the last six years, the export totals for the period of 1921 to 1925, inclusive, establish the preeminence of this Dominion beyond all challenge. On the five years the United States, Canada's nearest competitor, falls short of the Dominion by nearly 125,000,000 bushels.

Latest figures, issued by the Bureau of Statistics, show that Canada held the leadership of the world in wheat exports in the years 1922, 1924 and 1926. In 1921, 1922 and 1923, United States was in the van.

More Wood Being Used

World is Using Larger Quantity in Spite of Substitutes

In spite of the increasing use of substitutes for wood the people of the world never before used as much of that material every week as at the present time. The modern steel ocean passenger ship has as much more wood in its decks and fittings than would have built an entire wooden ship of sixty or seventy years ago. It was in all seriousness, and without any idea of a play on words that a noted Canadian conservationist pointed out recently that in spite of all modern inventions man is still surrounded by wood in every stage of his progress from the cradle to the grave.

Canada's Only Blind Operator

The only blind woman in Canada who operates a switchboard is Miss Ruth Spaul, of Toronto. She holds after the telephone calls at the Canadian National Institute for the Blind on Beverley street and works her board with speed and efficiency, completing her calls in the regular ten seconds allowed at the ordinary telephone exchange.

Mail service in Austria recently was suspended because a postoffice employee failed to doff his hat to the postmaster. Follow employees offended at the postmaster's reprimand, declared a strike.

The Canadian farmer is going abroad next year. He is going to study for himself at close range, in the very heart of the world's great markets, just what happens to his products when they reach the ultimate market, and he is going to learn a little more about how he can stand his business with this ultimate market.

A party of between 100 and 200 Canadian farmers and agriculturists will sail from Halifax, early next year, and under direction of Canadian National Railways officials, will visit all the important marketing centres of Great Britain, with visits to some of the famous livestock breeding farms, and a side trip to Denmark for a special study of co-operative marketing. Dr. W. J. Black, director of agriculture, colonization and natural resources of the Canadian National Railways, has announced this plan, which is being arranged in Canada by C. G. Goff, former publicist commissioner for Alberta, and in England, by E. A. Weir, of the London offices of the Canadian National Railways.

A tentative outline of the program suggests visits to the wheat exchanges in Liverpool and London, some of the mills, the Merkeland wharves in Glasgow, where live Canadian cattle are landed and sold by auction for distribution for finishing on Old Country feed lots, and a side trip to some of these feed lots; the Smithfield market in London, and Covent Garden, the great fruit and produce market. Canadian butter, cheese, bacon and fruit, on British markets will also be seen.

The farms of some of the most famous breeders, particularly of Shorthorn cattle and Clydesdale horses, will be visited, as well as districts where other noted breeds of livestock have been developed.

In a three or four-day trip to Denmark, visits will be paid to co-operative bacon factories, dairies, egg societies, as well as to some of the educational institutions.

Money in Sheep

Saskatchewan Farmer Finds Sheep Raising a Profitable Venture

A Saskatchewan farmer relates his experience in sheep raising as follows: "We kept 40 ewes through the winter of 1925-6 and fed them on oat chaff, chaff and hay consisting of a mixture of wild yam hay, alfalfa hay and sweet clover. The next spring the ewes dropped 44 lambs, all of which we raised. The wether lambs were sold for \$9 each and the ewes were kept for breeding purposes. The wool clip averaged about 7 pounds per head and sold for 35 cents per pound. We find that sheep will keep the cultivated land free of weeds if they are allowed to pasture on it."

Still Marketing Grain

C.P.R. Handling Grain at the Rate of 190,000 Bushels Daily

The Canadian Pacific Railway reports the marketing of grain at the present rate of 190,000 bushels daily, as compared with 123,374 for the corresponding week of last year. Manitoba's 180,600 compared with Saskatchewan's 833,600 and Alberta's 366,827. Loadings are also above last year's record with 220 cars daily. Country elevator storage stands at 10,613,113 bushels, showing that there is still plenty of grain in the country.

A Question of Safety

Keep your eyes to the front at all times while driving. Don't become so fatigued in your conversation that you must turn your head to address the person beside you or those in the back seat. Things happen suddenly in these days of swiftly moving automobiles, and the lapse of attention from the road for an instant may lead to a serious accident.

Why He Was Interested

"Well, my little man, said the artist, 'you're been gazing at me all through the dinner and I feel greatly flattered. Would you like me to tell you a story?'"

"No, Mister," said the kid, "but Mama told me you had a receding chin. Won't you do it for me—just once? and then I'll show you how I can wiggle my ears."

It takes a featherweight wife to make the heavyweight husband shake in his shoes.

When it comes to silent partners many a husband would fill the bill.

"Worth its weight in gold" Says Ottawa Matron

Mme. Beatrice Chabrole could not hold pen to write. Nerves completely shattered, health ruined. Now alert, vigorous and strong, she gives praise to Tanlac

The nervous ordeal which she passed through before Tanlac came to her permanent relief, was recently described by Mrs. Beatrice Chabrole, of 22 Ross St., Ottawa.

"What I endured in that time could not be told," she said. "I was so weak I could hardly walk. My appetite was poor and my stomach gave no end of trouble. Cuts and pains would bring on fainting spells."

"My nerves were so completely shattered that I jumped and frayed every time the doorbell rang. My hand trembled so that it could not hold the pen to write my name. Night after night I've gone without sleep, too nervous to be still for even a few moments. Even my housework became too much for me."

"I tried all kinds of remedies in these two years, but could get no relief. Tanlac gave me my first relief. It built me up so that I regained 110 lbs., and sleep has come and I have no more."



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Guarding Canada's Wheat Reputation

Canadian Product Must Be Kept Strictly Up to High Standard

The economic importance of Canada's wheat crop is so widely recognized that no further argument is that concerned with the quality of the product. The responsibility of guarding the reputation of this basic food product.

The suitability of wheat varieties grown in Canada is not determined by their yield or adaptation to soil and climatic conditions. Wheat for milling at home and abroad must possess certain qualities before it is a factor in world trade; and it is our world demand for position in which the government must safeguard and protect. The milling value of wheat is, after all, the most important consideration. Its protein content must be high; its color must be bright and its baking qualities must be pleasing to the trade. Our reputation has been built largely on a standard that means "Marque," for that variety is now the leading brand wheat on the American continent.

If we allow inferior wheat to be grown to any extent, and become known as inferior, we will be forced to lower the standard of our product and at the same time the world-wide reputation of Canadian wheat. That should not be permitted, all would agree, but the Minister at present cannot refuse to recognize the need for wheat that is distinctly different from the established lines, even though it be definitely inferior.

The agricultural committee of the House of Commons has recommended an amendment to Section 6 of the Seeds Act, to provide that no variety of wheat unless it is found by field or baking tests to possess real merit. That amendment is fundamentally sound, and we should prevent, if possible, even a multiplicity in the varieties of seed wheat for variety's sake. Marquis and there is nothing to be gained by adulterating our grain with a number of different wheats, thus destroying the uniformity and general excellence of a typical Canadian product. *Farmer's Advocate.*

PAINS ALL OVER BODY

Two More Cases of Feminine Illness Relieved by Lydia E. Pinkham's Vegetable Compound.

Barrington, N. S.—"I had terrible feelings, headaches, back and side aches and pains all over my body. I would have to go to bed every month and nothing would do me good. My husband and my father did my work for me as I have two children and no help at all. I read in the paper about Lydia E. Pinkham's Vegetable Compound, and then got a little book about it through the mail, and my husband sent to Eaton's and got me a bottle, and then we got more from the same source. The first row and do all my work and am able to go out around more. I tell my friends it is Lydia E. Pinkham's Vegetable Compound that makes me feel so well."—Mrs. VICTORIA RICHARDSON, Barrington, Nova Scotia.

Dull Pains in Back

St. Thomas, Ont.—"I took four bottles of Lydia E. Pinkham's Vegetable Compound and found great relief from the dull, heavy pains in the small of my back and the weakness from which I suffered for five years after my boy was born. After taking the Vegetable Compound and using Lydia E. Pinkham's Sensitive Wash I am feeling better than I have for the past seven years, and advise my friends to take it."—Mrs. F. JOHNSON, 42 Moore Street, St. Thomas, Ont.

Would Make Drivers Careful

Elimination of Motor Horn Might Mean Fewer Accidents

"The horns on automobiles prevent accidents," says E. T. Strong, president and general manager of the British Motor Co. "I believe that in some instances they undoubtedly do. But I am also convinced that the automobile horn has given us an over-estimate of a false sense of security which often breeds carelessness and results in disaster, because of his too great dependence on it."

"Any doubt as to the truth of this statement would be removed if automobile owners would try to drive their cars without the aid of the electric horn. It is my opinion that they would find themselves driving with more care than they had exercised since their first experience as automobile drivers. It has become instinctive for the driver to bring his hand down on the horn button and blunder ahead, with little heed for the effect which the sounding of the horn has had on the other fellow. And the other fellow is called to the blame of the horn in his cars. The noise has ceased to have any meaning for him."

"Drive two blocks through traffic without the use of the horn and you will find that you are using more care than you have ever used before to avoid accidents. You will drive as you should always drive, with due regard for others who are sharing public streets and highways with you. And you will discover that, even without using the horn, you will be driving with greater regard for the safety of yourself, pedestrians and other cars."

A Confederation Daughter

Daughter of One of the Fathers of Confederation to Tour Canada

A graceful invitation has just been given as a happy by-product of the Confederation Diamond Jubilee celebration. The president of the Canadian Pacific Railway, Mr. E. W. Beatty, has invited Miss Florence Carter, daughter of Sir George Carter, one of the Fathers of Confederation, to be a guest of the company in a tour to the Pacific Coast in July, and the invitation has been accepted.

Miss Carter, who is 78-year-old, has been living quietly in Cannes, France, since 1872, when she accompanied her father overseas. Sir George died in England the following year, after a period of ill-health. During the trip to the West, Miss Carter will probably meet Sir Hugh John Macdonald, son of Sir John A. Macdonald, who is now police magistrate of Winnipeg.

The visit of Miss Carter to the West will have added significance because of the part her father played in connection with Hon. William Macdougall, in negotiating with the Hudson's Bay Company in 1869 for the purchase of Rupert's Land, the great inland empire of the fur traders, which later became the province of Manitoba.

Addressing the agricultural committee of the international road conference at Geneva, W. A. W. Canadian Government agricultural representative in London and a member of the Canadian delegation to the conference, described the development of Canadian agricultural production and Canadian cooperative associations, the rationalized system of marketing credits to farmers and added that the cooperative association aimed at revamping the markets for agricultural products.

A man recently fainting three times at his own wedding. It was no use, however. They walked and he came round the third time and then went on with it.

When a young married man asked his mother always laughs that it is due to his wife's cooking.

Only the dyspeptic can eat his cake and still feel that he has it.

Common sense is almost scarce enough to be classed as uncommon.

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Poils Pays Old War Debt

But Creditor is Loser Because France

A French wartime "marraine" or soldier's god-mother, with a flair for bookkeeping, has just succeeded in collecting what was owed her by her "adopted" soldier for the goods, sundries and other things she sent him all through the war while he was prisoner in a German camp.

The fact that the soldier paid her hospital bill when she fell ill after the armistice mattered not.

The soldier, Gustave Marchand, was captured during the first few weeks of the war in 1914. Without friends, he got in touch with a French girl by the usual method—advertising—with the promise that some day he would reimburse her for his war mother, for whatever she might spend on him.

A Parisian cook, Mlle. Germaine de Florio, answered the advertisement and regularly sent him packages of food, clothing and other things to lighten his imprisonment. She expended 2,837 francs, 25 centimes. When she went to a hospital, Marchand gave her 1,169 francs, no centimes.

This week, Mlle. de Florio sued for the difference and got it. However, she is the loser after all, for the French she spent for Marchand were worth almost 20 cents each, while those the court ordered him to pay back, are only about one fifth that value.

Cable Railway in Bavarian Alps

Train Runs Ten Thousand Feet Above Valley at Many Places

When builders of the new Alpine Railway up the Zugspitze wanted a high official to dedicate the line they made one, for they took Dr. Michael Hunsbach, president of Austria, to the highest point of Austria. The railway is a cable stretched to the summit of the highest mountain in the Bavarian Alps, the Zugspitze, and at many places is 10,000 feet above the valley directly below. The "train" consists of cable, which is furnished in lavishly style, suspended to the cable along which a trolley carries the cabin. Workmen in swinging seats inspected the line before the inauguration.

Nation-wide Fame.—There is scarcely a corner of this great Dominion where the merits of Dr. Thomas' E. C. Ointment have not been tried and proved. It is one of the world's most efficient remedies for sore throat, larynx, hoarseness, and other ailments arising from inflammation. Rubbed on the skin its healing power is readily absorbed, and it can also be taken internally.

Provides Real Exercise

Medical Men Claim Driving a Car is Conducive to Good Health

There are all those who declare that the automobile has "done wrong" by the nation's health in converting everyone to driving or riding. Some medical men disagree with this view. Many of them declare that automobile driving also provides a form of exercise that is beneficial.

Walking exercises mainly the leg muscles, while driving brings into greater use the arm and shoulder muscles. The motorist's leg muscles get considerable action in operating the pedals and clutch pedals. The exercise one finds in car operation has the additional advantage of being regular and too strenuous.

It takes less muscle to drive a car today than ever before, but at the same time it requires more effort to be conducive to good health.

Most men believe in the honesty of their fellow men after they have endured a few notes for their friends.

Anxious to Ring Carillon

Party Applications Received by Civil Service Commission

No fewer than forty applications have been received by the Civil Service Commission regarding the employment of a carillonist for the "singing tower" of the Parliament Building, which is to be dedicated on July 1, 1927, the day on which the Dominion celebrates the Diamond Jubilee of Confederation.

While the carillon bells were on their way to Canada from Croydon, England, the Civil Service Commission has been advertising for a carillonist. Applications have come from all parts of the world, but the only applicants being considered are British subjects with three years' residence in the Dominion. The Commission will call in an advisory board of musicians to help them select the proper man to play the carillon. The position will pay a salary starting at \$2,800 per year, with a maximum of \$3,500.

Large National Park

For Saskatchewan

Good Sized Area at Prince Albert

Saskatchewan gets a national park by the setting aside at Prince Albert of a good-sized area for that purpose. An order-in-council, after pending for some time, has been passed.

For the present, the park will comprise the Skoppan forest reserve and two additional townships mainly suited to the purposes of summer resorts, but the ultimate plan contemplates a much larger extension northward.

There has been no action on the scheme advanced by Dr. Russell, M.P., for the Springfield for a national park in Manitoba.

MISTAKES MOTHERS MAKE IN CARE OF LITTLE ONES

Many mothers give their children too much of two evils, care and love, and they do so in a way that is harmful to the child. They give them too much of everything that grows up people do. Such a course is almost certain to bring on indigestion and the foundation of much ill-health for the little one.

Other mothers administer harsh, unfeeling punishment which in reality irritates and weakens the delicate stomach and bowels and at the same time cause the children to dread all medicine.

Absolutely no meat should be given to a child until it reaches the age of six months, and then only if ordered by the doctor. For medicine, all strong, disagreeable oils and powders should be abandoned and Baby's Own Tablets given instead.

Baby's Own Tablets are especially made for little ones. They are pleasant to take and can be given with absolute safety to even the newborn babe. They quickly banish colic, soothe indigestion, help the cutting of teeth, ease. They are sold by medicine men or by mail at 25 cents a box from The Dr. Williams' Medicine Co., Brockville, Ont.

Thriving Swiss Settlements

Eight hundred families from Switzerland are expected to come out to Western Canada to settle during 1927, according to the Acting Consul for Switzerland here. They are driving Swiss settlements in Notre Dame de Lourdes, Manitoba, and Stettin, Alberta.

New lines to be constructed by the Canadian National Railways in the next three years call for a total expenditure of \$182,550,000.

BABY'S OWN SOAP

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Try Rice Pudding Made this Way:-

1 cup boiled rice
1/2 cup Borden's Eagle Brand Condensed Milk
1 teaspoonful vanilla
1 egg
1/2 cup water
1/2 teaspoonful nutmeg
Mix Eagle Brand and water together thoroughly. Beat egg and blend with the milk and vanilla. Add this mixture to the rice (boiled) and mix well. Pour into buttered pan and sprinkle top with the nutmeg. Bake in a dish of water (as for a custard) and bake in a slow oven until a golden brown. E-77

Borden's EAGLE BRAND

CONDENSED MILK

Little Helps For This Week

If three enemy men, feed him, if he is thirsty, give him drink, for in so doing thou shalt reap seeds of fire on his head.—Matt. xli. 28

But if for wrongs we needs revenge must have.

Then be our vengeance of the noblest kind. Do we his body from our fury ease, And let our hate prevail against our mind?

What can 'gainst him a greater vengeance be? Then make his life more worthy far than his.—Lady Elizabeth Carey.

If thou must needs have revenge of thine enemy, with a soft tongue break his bones, heap coals of fire on his head, forgive him and enjoy the triumph over thy enemies. Is a charming way of revenge and short Christian conquest, overcoming without a blow; laying our enemies at our feet under sorrow, shame, and repentance; leaving our foes our friends, and sedulously inclined to grateful retaliation.

—St. Thomas Browne.

Treat croup with Minard's Liniment

Homestead Filings

Homestead Filings in Western Canada during the first quarter of 1927 totaled 1,059, as compared with 1,282 in the corresponding period of 1926. In Manitoba, 118 quarter sections were filed upon, in Saskatchewan 312, in Alberta 337, and in British Columbia 12.

We are told that man is made of dust and yet dust alone is not dead.

Useful in Camp.—Ephraim, survivors, prospectors and hunters will find Dr. Thomas' E. C. Ointment very useful in camp. When the feet are legs are wet, and cold it is well to rub them freely with the Ointment and the result will be the prevention of pain in the muscles, and should a cut, or contusion, or sprain be sustained, nothing could be better as a dressing or lotion.

A French scientist has invented a vacuum bottle to hold liquid oxygen for use of aviators in altitude flights. The liquid vaporizes as fast as it is heated.

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and 10c; church organizations
free except where a charge is
made.

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insertion, 25c each subsequent
insertion.

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sertions which are cash. All job
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Thursday June 2, 1927

Thirty members of prominent in-
dustrial, social and athletic groups
from Detroit, travelling C.P.R. under
the auspices of the Detroit Athletic
Club, took a week's winter trip to
Quebec for the purpose of enjoying
the seasonal sports. They stopped
at the Chateau Frontenac in Quebec
City and stopped at Montreal and
Ottawa to see their N. H. L. hockey
team play Montreal Maroons and
Ottawa Senators.

Donald B. McMillan, noted Arctic
Explorer, gave his first Canadian
lecture on the North Pole and re-
gions adjoining, at Montreal re-
cently. Mr. McMillan showed some
remarkable slides of brilliant Arctic
flowers which grow during the brief
Polar summer. He also exploded
the common belief that Eskimo wo-
men are not beautiful, showing pic-
tures of some that might have posed
for the movies.

Quick work on the part of the
C.P.R. investigation department and
the honesty of a Red Cap recovered
an American \$500 bill for its owner,
B. S. Nauer, public accountant of
New York, recently. Mr. Nauer
pulled it out of his pocket in getting
some small change and it fell to
the floor of the concourse of the
Montreal C.P.R. station. The Red
Cap picked it up and handed it to
the station master. When Mr. Nauer
made enquiries, a few minutes later,
it was handed to him. He gave the
Red Cap the handsome tip of \$100.

The official visit to Canada of the
Gentlemen of His Majesty's Free
Chapel of St. George, in Windsor
Castle, and of the boy choristers of
Westminster Abbey, who are giving
sing recitals across Canada from
Fredericton to Vancouver and back,
is made with the approval of His
Majesty the King. They arrived at
Saint John on the Canadian Pacific
liner Montrose and travelled C.P.R.
across the Dominion, giving their
first recital at Fredericton and their
second at Winnipeg. Their
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operating its sixth annual tour
confidently believe this will again
prove of the greatest aid and con-
venience to a host of teachers, as
well as to professional men and
business men and women, vacation
bent.

The tour will commence at Win-
nipeg, from which point a special
train of modern sleeping car equip-
ment, dining car and radio obser-
vation car, will leave July 4th.
The party will be personally con-
ducted by an efficient and experi-
enced representative of the Canadian
National.

After stopping at various points
of interest, the train will arrive at
Prince Rupert on July 9th. At
this latter point the party will em-
bark on a palatial steamship for a
cruise of 550 miles through the
famous "Inside Passage" to Van-
couver. While the tour termi-
nates at Vancouver, those who de-
sire to make a trip to Victoria
may have their tickets read "Victoria"
as their destination without any
additional cost.

This mode of travel has many
advantages. In the first place, it
is planned with a view to includ-
ing in the itinerary the most in-
teresting points, which, with the
other arrangements that are made
obviates the passenger worrying
about connections, sleeping car ac-
commodations, meals and enter-
tainment enroute. This is all
done in advance by experts, leav-
ing the passenger free to enjoy
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The local agent of the Canadian
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to give you full particulars of this
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Over 1,000 members of the parish
of St. Aidan's Church, New Jersey,
journeyed to Montreal over the Cana-
dian Pacific lines on Easter Mon-
day to visit the famous Oratory of
St. Joseph. The visit was in the
nature of an act of thanksgiving for
the miraculous cure last year of
their pastor, Rev. Father Roger
McGinley. Father McGinley had
been suffering from heart trouble
for some years preventing his enter-
ing the pulpit. Following a visit to
Brother Andre, however, in Mont-
real, his condition improved almost
instantaneously. Within a few days
he was able to address his flock.

Passengers on the Canadian Pacific
flagship "Empress of Scot-
land," now completing a world
cruise, visited the ruins of the site
of the old city of Panama destroyed
in 1517 by Sir Henry Morgan, the
famous English pirate. The ruins
have come into the limelight re-
cently on account of the fact that
treasures valued at over \$50,000
have been discovered by a young
English fortune hunter, Lieutenant
George Williams. The discovery,
which was made by means of a deli-
cate violet ray detecting instrument
of this own invention, consisted of
gold Church ornaments, gold dust
and jewels. The delicate instrument
still indicates that larger treasures
exist at this site.

Completing a journey of over 30,-
000 miles during which the entire
globe was circled, the Canadian Pacific
flagship "Empress of Scot-
land" docked at New York recently.
Over 400 passengers disembarked
laden with every imaginable kind of
souvenir from every country. The
ship carried back the first refugees
to America from the war zones of
China in the persons of Mrs. Melvin
Southwick and her young baby, who
were forced, through Chinese dis-
orders, to board a tramp steamer
for Kobe, where they were picked
up by the "Empress of Scotland." Mrs.
Southwick's husband is an official
of the Standard Oil Company
at Hankow. During the great cruise
of the "Empress of Scotland" she
visited about 20 countries and an-
chored in over 25 world ports.

Women's Meetings

United Church Sunday School
executive 3rd Wednesday.

The W. I. meet the 1st Satur-
day in every month.

Lake Bend Community Club
last Wednesday of each month.

Ladies Aid 2nd Thursday in
each month.

W. A. 3rd Thursday of each
month.

Ripley Ladies Aid meets 3rd
Thursday of each month.

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Around the Town

Mrs. J. E. Baugh spent the
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Mrs. H. S. Oldring returned
home on Monday from a visit
to Leduc.

Mrs. M. Olson attended the
meeting of the Provincial W. I.
held in Edmonton last week.

Mrs. J. W. Spiece is spending
another week in Calgary un-
dergoing medical treatment.

Dr. MacLennan motored to
Edmonton on Friday and re-
turned on Tuesday.

Mrs. L. Hardy is spending a
couple of weeks with friends in
Edmonton.

W. H. Craven has disposed of
his house in town to Mr. Albert
Ray.

June 3rd being a government
holiday the postoffice wicket
will be open from 11 to 12 and
the same hour every holiday
hereafter.

H. J. Snell, Optometrist, will
be at the W. I. building, Mirror,
on Friday, June 17th, and
every third Friday of the
month thereafter.

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We regretted to learn last
week that Jas. Holditch was
taken ill suddenly with appen-
dicitis and removed to the Cam-
rose hospital where he under-
went a successful operation and
are glad to hear that his condi-
tion gives every indication of a
speedy recovery.

Rev. R. G. Wood add J. W.
Spiece returned on Saturday
from attending the sessions of
the United Church Conference
held in Knox Church, Calgary.
The Settlement committee has
made no change as far as the
Mirror-Alix field is concerned.
The present conference was the
largest ever held in Alberta,
over three hundred ministers
being present and a large num-
ber of lay delegates.

The town is losing one of its
best known and highly respect-
ed citizens in the person of
Mr. John South who is remov-
ing his business at the end of
this week to Delburne. "Jack"
has resided in Mirror for some
years and during this time has
associated himself with many
interests in the community. In
the various lodges to which he
has belonged he has always
been a faithful and energetic
worker and he has always been
ready to assist any charitable
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him and wishes him every suc-
cess in his new home and busi-
ness.

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